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HURTING THE CAUSE THEY WOULD SERVE.

Austria's ambassador, Dr. Dumba, and the German military attache, Capt. von Papen, have distinctly injured instead of aided the cause of the Teutonic nations in the sympathies of the United States.

The most charitable thing that can be said of the proved activities of these two men in plotting industrial disorder in the United States is that they were actuated by zeal to serve their countries. Patriotism, particularly when it meets misunderstanding and opposition, may cloud the judgment and blind the eyes. It is easy to see how men whose judgment is warped by excessive zeal might commit the acts attributed to Dumba and von Papen, but that does not set them right so far as the United States is concerned. These acts unfit them for further diplomatic service in America. It is not the slur phrase "those idiotic Yankees," which is the chief reason why Capt. von Papen is persona non grata. The chief reason is his participation in the plans to stir up industrial disorders.

German-Americans complain, and with reason, of difficulty in getting their cause before the American people. But certain Germans and German-Americans have shown that without attacking the United States government or its institutions they can yet make a powerful plea for Germany. They have shown that it is possible in a large measure to place their case before the American people in such a manner as to win respect and sympathy.

With such activities of tongue and pen there can be no quarrel on the part of neutral Americans. It is when the supporters of the Teutonic nations descend from this high plane of thought and speech to the fomenting of political and industrial strife that they serve their cause ill instead of well. That they are carrying out their conception of patriotic duty may excuse their acts to their governments and their adherents in America but the sum total of result is harmful instead of helpful to the Teutonic cause in the minds and hearts of Americans.

OPPOSITION TO THE "PICTURE BRIDE" SYSTEM.

Thoughtful Japanese who have studied the effect of the "picture bride" system upon the Japanese communities in the United States, notably Hawaii, quite generally agree that it is a dangerous system. In Hawaii there is a slow-growing but powerful movement of Japanese sentiment against the wholesale importation of the "picture brides."

That the movement is taking hold in Japan also is evident from the correspondence of the Associated Press. Writing from Tokio a short time ago the Associated Press correspondent tells of an interesting incident. Choosing Japanese brides by pictures is no longer desirable, according to S. Yamakami, a Japanese newspaperman of Seattle, who has just returned to the United States with eleven girls who will marry Japanese immigrants. Eugenics is the basis of selection now, he holds. In former days the custom has been for the emigrant to send for the girl whose picture he liked.

When Mr. Yamakami reached Japan he received applications from twenty-nine girls who wished to go to America to marry Japanese at Falmouth.

laborers and he selected eleven prospective brides from among them. Mr. Yamakami discarded the old picture bride arrangement. He made a thorough examination of each would-be bride as to education and physical conditions. He chose only robust women.

Mr. Yamakami laments the fact that promising young Japanese men are liable to deteriorate after having amassed "wealth" in America, and he attributes this demoralization to the difficulty of finding suitable wives.

By supplying wives of the better class he proposes to help the moral conditions of the Japanese emigrants in America.

ON THE TRAIL OF TRADE.

Uncle Sam is after trade now in a systematic manner that ought to bring results. Some of the recent ventures in the Orient are of interest to Honolulu as they will influence Pacific trade.

American commercial travelers are now penetrating far into northern Manchuria. Consul Moser reports from Harbin to the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, department of commerce, that he is busy introducing American trade solicitors to Russian firms. The consul says he endeavors to be personally acquainted with the managers of every important firm in his district. When the American commercial travelers arrive at Harbin, the consul introduces them, and gives them useful information. The result is that the buyer and seller are mutually assisted. Recent orders thus placed in Harbin for American goods include Pennsylvania watch cases, \$25,000 worth of Massachusetts shoes, New York roofing, California dried fruits, and Pennsylvania rubber goods, while several orders are pending for railway supplies and other goods.

"There are more good men than rascals in Honolulu—but the rascals are busy all the time and the good men only part of the time," remarks a city official who believes in efficiency but finds it hard to get things done on an efficiency basis.

Every one may have two guesses as to whether Russia has gained two victories in the south because the Czar took command, or the Czar took command just about when the victories in Galicia were due.—New York World.

Yes, those Zeppelin raids on England are an utter failure—such a failure that a dozen picked French aviators have gone to London to help repel the Teuton airman!

Those who declare there's nothing new under the sun are invited to go out to Kalakana avenue and view the embryo parking strip.

Possibly Capt. von Papen's safe conduct will be arranged in time for him to accompany Ex-Ambassador Dumba back home.

Judging by some of the war-poems recently turned out, not all of the poison gas is used up in the trench-fighting.

The Sultan is now able to convince his enemies that the reports of his early fall were somewhat exaggerated.

J. F. J. Archibald certainly plunged into a nice little mess when he got himself arrested and wished to go to America to marry Japanese at Falmouth.

CATCH FEDERAL COURT EMPLOYE SMOKING OPIUM

Lau Wah, the genial Chinese messenger in the local federal court, whom the court officials often have jokingly accused of "bitting the pipe," turned out today to be a bona fide opium smoker.

Shortly after 12:30 o'clock today Marshal J. J. Smiddy and Deputy Marshal Otto Helme kicked in the door of a purported "den" back of the Aichi theater in Maunakea street. As the officers rushed into the room, Lau Wah arose from a bunk and stared wildly at the intruders.

Behind Lau Wah on the bunk was a lighted lamp and an opium pipe. The opium pipe was warm. Lau Wah was pretty sleepy, alleged Marshal Smiddy. He made no protest, but simply smiled at his friends, the officers.

S. Commissioner George S. Curry. In the room with Lau Wah were three other Chinese. They were allowed to go. From a drawer in a desk in the room Marshal Smiddy connected a quantity of opium which he believes is worth between \$30 and \$40. A collection of pipes, lamps and smoking tools also was taken as evidence.

Marshal Smiddy this afternoon is searching for the alleged owner of the "joint." A warrant for his arrest was issued today.

Lau Wah's arrest came quite as a surprise to the federal court officials. Many is the time that the genial messenger has jokingly been accused of "cooking a pill." It is said that he had been carrying an excellent income—working in the court in the daytime and working in a local hotel at night besides keeping the books of several local Chinese firms.

Two members of the Hawaiian Band, Lazaro Salamanca and Marcello Mendosa, ignorant of the fact for many years that they were not citizens of the United States, yesterday took out their first naturalization papers, and will in about two years become full-fledged Americans. Both bandmen are native born sons of Manila. Coming to the islands before annexation and having denization papers under the republic, they had supposed that they were already citizens of the United States.

JAM IN HARBOR IS EXPECTED FOR FEW DAYS

With a large number of ships already in the harbor, Harbor Master William R. Foster is wondering what he will do with all the vessels scheduled to arrive tonight, tomorrow and Monday.

The Harewood docks late today, the bark Glenshee arrived at 11 o'clock, the Enterprise is due at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning, the Wilhelmna comes in from Hilo about the same hour, the navy collier Proteus is due some time before noon tomorrow, and four freighters, all from the Panama Canal, are looked for late this afternoon. They are the Indracely, Valcutta, Earl of Elgin and Donax.

To add to Capt. Foster's cares, the U. S. transport Thomas is due late Monday or early Tuesday morning, while the Sonoma is to arrive Monday morning and the Tenyo Maru Monday afternoon. Tuesday morning will see the Manoa dock, too, so harbor officials, pilots, customs inspectors and all others concerned with the ar-

CLASSES AND GYM WORK FOR GIRLS BEGINS MONDAY

Special Business Course in English Among Features of Y. W. C. A. Curriculum

The Y. W. C. A. class in business English, which will hold its first session next Monday evening, will be taught by Miss Helga Wikander instead of Miss Anne Van Schaick as previously announced. Miss Wikander was graduated from the Teachers' college, Columbia university, last June, and is now a teacher of business English at the McKinley high school. This class is being organized especially for the benefit of girls who wish to prepare themselves as stenographers, and who, being otherwise employed during the day, must secure such preparation at night school and for the benefit of stenographers who wish to increase their efficiency. This class will meet at the Homestead on Monday evenings at 7:30.

Other classes which will begin next week include conversational English for Chinese women on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 2:30 o'clock. Spanish on Tuesday evenings at 7 o'clock, French and dressmaking on Friday evenings at 7 o'clock, and outings on Saturday afternoons. Each outing will be educational in its aim and will be under the leadership of some man or woman able to give authoritative information concerning the points of special interest.

Physical training classes of the Young Women's Christian Association will begin next week. Registrations must be made at the offices in the Castle & Cooke building before entrance into any class. The schedule of classes as made out by Miss Leonora Andersen, the director of physical education, is as follows:

Gymnastics: Tuesday, 10 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Thursday, 10 a. m.; Friday, 7 p. m.
 Esthetic and Folk Dancing: Tuesday, 3 p. m., junior, and 7 p. m.; Wednesday, 3 p. m., junior, and 4 p. m., junior; Saturday, 10 a. m.
 Swimming: Thursday, 7:30 p. m.; Friday, 8 a. m. and 2 p. m.
 Hours for tennis and special classes may be arranged by consulting the director.

LITTLE INTERVIEWS

—POLICE COURT CLERK J. S. NOBBERIA: Another light day for the treasury yesterday. Only \$10 out of 53 cases. Why, that amounts only to 10 cents a case.

—CHARLES CLARK: I don't know why my case was postponed in the court yesterday. I'd be glad to have it over with, and I am ready for it just any time that they can bring it on.

—E. J. BOYTS: When the judge informed me that I had passed the bar examination yesterday, he took occasion to tell me that he did not believe I could pass an examination in citizenship. A printer told me once that my writing looked more like notes of music than anything else.

—DR. W. A. CRESS (surgeon U. S. submarine tender Alert): Accidents and sickness are rare among the submarine flotilla's men. One of the reasons why our men don't get sick is the fact that Honolulu is an exceptionally healthy city. The public doesn't appreciate the excellent public health service the territory has. It's a splendid example of what modern sanitary methods and training can do toward keeping the tropics healthy.

—SUPERVISOR LOGAN: Mr. Aylett was not charged with "graft," but with "dereliction of duty" in neglecting to report the case of an injured employee of the garbage department to the board within reasonable time. He was not charged with "misuse" of public funds, but with "contributing" to such misuse by negligence. The ways and means committee's censure was meant more as a warning not only to the garbage superintendent but to others having charge of labor payrolls. Mr. Aylett made an excellent record last month, the revenue of his department having been very close to the expenditure.

Governor Yager of Porto Rico sailed from San Juan for New York to see President Wilson and urge American citizenship for Porto Rico.

Only a small part of Italian skilled steel workers have been allowed to join the army, as the government needed them at home to turn out munitions.

rival of ships, can look for a busy 48 hours tomorrow and Monday.

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HALEAKALA.
 (By V. A. Vettesen in the Maui Weekly Times)
 Rising in majestic height, out of the restless sea,
 Flung from the infinite depths toward the tropic sky,
 A beacon of gigantic size, ever beckoning these,
 Stands the famous Haleakala, 10,000 good feet high.
 "The House of the radiant Sun," built by Jehovah's hand,
 Amid the roar of mighty flames, of molten lava streams,
 Thundering down its rocky sides toward the coral strand,
 Where in undulating waves the rolling ocean gleams.

The fires of Pele burn no more, cold are the lava stones,
 A stiffened mass of jagged rock, a ponderous granite pile
 With pinnacles and crags and caves, with peaks and wondrous cones.
 The largest crater in the world, the pride of the Valley Isle.
 Human eyes have never seen more glorious sight than this,
 No pen can draw the awesome scene, no words have power to tell
 Of the dark and mystic pit down in the yawning abyss,
 Now as silent as the grave, but once a flaming hell.

When the shadows of the night flee from the light of dawn,
 And the sun majestic glides up from his ocean bed
 Back of giant, snow-peaked mounts, the sea with gold is sown,
 An avalanche of rainbow clouds over the waters spread.
 Down from Hawaii they come, an eerie and silent host,
 Advance guard of the glorious sun. The heights of the mount they gain,
 They scale the mighty crater's edge and in its depths are lost,
 And lo! God's great, eternal sun is on his throne again.

ALMOST \$75,000 SENT AWAY FOR WAR SUFFERERS

During the first year of its existence, the local war relief committee has collected and forwarded almost \$75,000 to the various countries engaged in the present European struggle.

The money has been forwarded through the Guaranty Trust Company of New York City, with the exception of the amounts sent to the American Red Cross and those paid to the representatives of the British and German funds in Honolulu.

The Bank of Hawaii has very kindly forwarded all drafts without charge. No expenses whatever have been entailed by the committee, the necessary printing having been donated by the Advertiser and Star-Bulletin.

In addition to the money, the committee has collected and forwarded more than 50 boxes of clothing for the Belgians. All of this clothing was carried by the American Hawaiian Steamship Company free of charge.

The financial statement of the committee for the year ending September 30, 1915, is as follows:

Receipts	\$74,848.75
Disbursements	
Belgium	\$48,200.00
British	75.00
France	5,000.00
Servia	7,725.00
Austria	1,000.00
Poland	10,275.00
Am. Red Cross	1,775.00
French	500.00
Germany	43.00
Christmas Fund	11.15
Total	\$74,552.15
Balance	\$ 296.60

HAZEL DAWN'S DEBUT.

Hazel Dawn, who recently completed her successful starring tour in "The Debutante," and who it will be pleasantly recalled, made her debut in motion pictures in "One of Our Girls," a former Famous Players production, in which she sprang into immediate popularity as an international film favorite, returns to the screen in an elaborate five-part adaptation of the famous stage success, "Niobe," the comedy of a Greek statue that comes to life and has a great deal of amusement—and some sorrow—at the hands of contemporary mortals. As the incarnate statue, Miss Dawn has numerous and unequalled opportunity for the display of the captivating powers that made "One of Our Girls" such a bewitching characterization. The Famous Players Company present Hazel Dawn in "Niobe" tomorrow, on the Paramount program, at the Liberty theater.

A species of tree of unlimited growth in Natal, heretofore regarded as worthless commercially, has been found to yield a juice that contains rubber in large quantities.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT

FURNISHED		UNFURNISHED	
Park Ave., Kaimuki	2 bedrooms.....\$30.00	811 Lunalilo St.	6 bedrooms.....\$65.00
Prospect St.	2 ".....30.00	1729 Liliha St.	2 ".....17.50
Center Ave.	2 ".....25.00	1475 Thurston Ave.	5 ".....40.00
Tantalus	3 ".....45.00	1940 Young St.	2 ".....35.00
		1231 Lunalilo St.	2 ".....35.00
		1234 Matlock Ave.	2 ".....32.50
		1058 14th and Palolo Aves.	3 ".....30.00
		1605 Anapuni St.	3 ".....25.00
		2271 King St.	4 ".....25.00
		Kunawai Lane	3 ".....20.00

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Personal Mention

R. W. P. ST. GEORGE, formerly with the Pioneer Advertising Company, left for the mainland in the Manchuria last Wednesday to join his wife in San Francisco. St. George expects to go to London and join a branch of the British military service.

GEORGE S. RAYMOND, public school inspector, who has been touring Kauai during the last week, will return to Honolulu tomorrow morning. Mr. Raymond will leave for the mainland in the transport Thomas next Tuesday for a visit to his former home in Cambridge, Mass.

FREDK. TURRILL, was yesterday appointed through the department of public works as inspector of explosives. There has been a law demanding such an inspector since 1911, but the legislature never appropriated money for the inspector's salary. Mr. Turrill will be paid on a system of fees for inspections, worked out by Superintendent Charles R. Forbes.

FRANK M. FELLOWS, who has been trying hard to make a living in Honolulu since he lost both legs a few years ago when he was run over by an O. R. & L. train, shortly will be made the proprietor of a bootblack and cigar stand in King street, several local friends having come to his assistance. Fellows some time ago became addicted to the drug habit but has recently completely recovered, according to Police Surgeon Ayer.

HOWARD L. GRACE, a Honolulu boy and a graduate of the law depart-

PARK FOUNTAIN NOT COSTLY ENOUGH FOR GIFT TO HONOLULU

The Japanese committee who will have charge of presenting a gift to the city of Honolulu on Coronation Day, November 10, will meet Tuesday evening to decide on what the Japanese will present to the city. It was at first planned to present a duplicate of the fountain in Hibiya Park, Tokio, but it was found that the expenditure for the fountain would only amount to about \$2,000. Inasmuch as 10,000 Japanese will donate \$1 each towards the gift, it is thought that the gift may take some other form.

SCULLY PLEADS GUILTY AT CONSPIRACY TRIAL

John T. Scully who, with W. R. Chilton and J. H. Fischer, was indicted by the territorial grand jury about a year and a half ago on a charge of conspiracy, has entered a plea of guilty in Circuit Judge Ashford's court. Regarding the case against Chilton, argument as to whether he may file a motion to quash the indictment will be had in Judge Ashford's court at 3 o'clock next Monday afternoon. The case against Fischer recently was nolle prossed.

ment of Georgetown university, today was admitted to practice in the local federal court. Mr. Grace was introduced to the court by District Attorney Jeff McCann. He took the oath before Judges Sanford B. Dole and Charles F. Clemen. Mr. Grace yesterday was admitted to practice in the territorial courts, having been sworn in before Chief Justice A. G. M. Robertson. For the present he will have his office with Attorney R. W. Breckons.

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Young and Alexander	2 ".....35.00
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UNFURNISHED

Royal Grove (Koa avenue)	2 ".....35.00
Royal Grove (Prince Edward ave.)	2 ".....37.50
Hackfield and Prospect Sts.	2 ".....27.50
1173 Gulick Ave.	3 ".....40.00
14 Mendonca Tract (Liliha St.)	3 ".....20.00
1713 Kalia Rd., Waikiki (partly furnished)	2 ".....25.00
770 Kinau St.	4 ".....32.50
1004 W. 5th Ave., Kaimuki	4 ".....18.00
1020 Aloha Lane	2 ".....18.00
1239 Wilder Ave.	4 ".....40.00
1562 Nuuanu Ave.	5 ".....40.00
2130 Kamehameha Ave.	3 ".....40.00
1231 Matlock Ave.	2 ".....22.50
Luso St. (near school)	2 ".....30.00
Thurston Ave.	2 ".....25.00